Celestes Observationes:

OR AN

EPHEMERIS,

For the YEAR 1669.

With *Astrological Judgements*, upon the Positions, and Configurations of Heaven, happening therein.

WHEREIN

You have a Perfect Account, of the most Material Matters, and Things, intended by the Heavens to be manifested, In the WORLD, in the same YEAR.

Being the first from *Bissextile*, or Leap-year. And from the Creation of the World, 5618.

Calculated for the Meridian of *London*,

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Astra agunt, non cogunt.

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Courteous Reader,

THou haſt here preſented unto thee, ſome Aſtrological Obſervations upon the Year 1669, *now at hand: And thou art herein made acquainted with the moſt material Effects, and Portents of the Heavenly Bodies, in this very Year; Hoping favourably to paſs thy Cenſure. I remember that* Juvenal *ſayes in his Sixth Satyr:*

Nemo Mathematicus Genium indemnatus habebit;

I hope otherwiſe. However, Do Locum Invidiæ—— *Thou haſt not here a Word about his Holyneſs the Pope, by ſome Perſons of a ſtrange Perſwaſion, falſly termed Antichriſt; Nor much concerning the City of* Rome, *by Perſons, alſo, of the ſame Perſwaſion, falſly alſo, (according to the opinion of many Learned Men) termed* Babylon. *Therefore (now) I hope, to have a calme Paſſage. I muſt ſtill begg thy Pardon for the Errors committed herein, either by my Pen, or the Preſs. Call to minde,* Humanum eſt errare; *And thou wilt ſhew thy great Humanity in pardoning, at this time, both my Own, and the Printers faults.*

The European *part of the World is now pretty quiet; onely a Change is like to appear in* Poland, *by the Election of a New King at this time, juſt as I am putting this to the Preſs, The King now in being, being fully purpoſed, as 'tis thought, to leave his Government.*

September 14. 1668. William Andrews.

Of the ECLIPSES, *Anno* 1669.

ACcording to the most exactest Rules of Astronomy, there will be onely Two Eclipses in this present Year, 1669. and those onely too, of the Sun; And there will happen no Eclipse of the Moon this Year, The reason thereof, is (according to the most Famous and Learned Astronomer, *Johannes Keplerus* in his *Epitom: Astrono* pag. 881.) Given in these following words,——

Quando Novilunium, est centrale ferè, hoc est, quando Centrum Penumbræ Lunæ per centrum Disci terræ, vel proximè transit, Plenilunia circumstantia transierunt sine Eclipse & vicissim.

Fieri potest, ut duo Novilunia centralia vel quasi contingant unius semestris interstitio, unùm antè Solis Apogæum, alterum post illud; quo casu toto anno Lunari, nullum continget Plenilunium Eclipticum.

So that, from hence, no Lunar Eclipse can be expected to happen in this Year, 1669 because, in this very Year, these before mentioned Rules, seem fully to take place; There being Two Central Eclipses within the space of Six Months, *viz.* the one in *April*, before the *Sun* comes to his *Apogæon*; and the other in *October*; when he is past his *Apogæon*; and in regard they fall out exactly in the Ecliptick, there can be no *Lunar* Eclipse, according to the aforesaid Rules of *Kepler*. Notwithstanding, *Argolus*, that eminent Astronomer and Philosopher, of *Padua* in *Italy*, would have the *Moon*, this Year, to be eclipsed on the 5th of *April*; which is quite contrary to the former Precepts of *Kepler*, and the Principles of other Learned Astronomers. For the Moons true Latitude, being then greater by 12'. and 39''. than the Sum of the *Semidiameters*, she can in no wise be Eclipsed, as our Famous Country-man Mr. *Wing* well observes in his *Ephemeris* for this Year.—— The first Eclipse of the *Sun*, this Year, is upon the 19th. of *April*, at 17 *h.* 24'. and will appear very terrible in *East India*, towards the Æquinoctial Circle. The other will be upon the 14th. of *October*, at 9 *h.* 24'. beyond the same Circle to be seen, and so not visible in our *Horison* of *Great Brittain*, &c.

NOTÆ VULGARES

Or common Notes for this present Year 1669. according to both the Accounts, viz.

Julian	and	Gregorian.
17	The Golden Number.	17
26	Cycle of the Sun.	26
ℂ	Dominical Letters.	F
7	Roman Indiction.	7
7	Epact.	27
21	Number of Direction.	24

The Use of the two ensuing Tide-Tables. 1669.

TO find the Time of Full Sea, or High water in any of those places mentioned in the two ensuing Tide-tables, you must observe, First, the Age of the Moon, which you may easily find in the next following Table, wherein you have the Moons age every day throughout this year 1669. And having therein found the Moons age, according to those directions mentioned for that purpose in the side of the said Table, then have recourse unto the said Tide-Tables, and look for the place desired in the head of the said Table, with the age of the Moon in the column under the title of The Moons age; and in the common angle, or meeting place of those lines in the column, under your place, you shall have the time of High water in hours and minutes.

Yet Note, That the Tides do not always fall out exactly at the time found in these Tables, by reason of the difference of the Moons Latitude, High winds, Land-flouds, &c. which do very often alter the Time; yet this is the exactest rule that can be given for the finding of them.

A Table of the Moons age every day this year 1669. whereby, with the help of the ensuing Tyde-Tables, the time of High-water and full Tyde may be found in those places there inserted.

Days.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December
1	9	11	9	11	11	13	14	15	16	16	18	18
2	10	12	10	12	12	14	15	16	17	17	19	19
3	11	13	11	13	13	15	16	17	18	18	20	20
4	12	14	12	14	14	16	17	18	19	19	21	21
5	13	15	13	15	15	17	18	19	20	20	22	22
6	14	16	14	16	16	18	19	20	21	21	23	23
7	15	17	15	17	17	19	20	21	22	22	24	24
8	16	18	16	18	18	20	21	22	23	23	25	25
9	17	19	17	19	19	21	22	23	24	24	26	26
10	18	20	18	20	20	22	23	24	25	25	27	27
11	19	21	19	21	21	23	24	25	26	26	28	28
12	20	22	20	22	22	24	25	26	27	27	29	29
13	21	23	21	23	23	25	26	27	28	28	30	30
14	22	24	22	24	24	26	27	28	29	29	1	1
15	23	25	23	25	25	27	28	29	30	1	2	2
16	24	26	24	26	26	28	29	30	1	2	3	3
17	25	27	25	27	27	29	30	1	2	3	4	4
18	26	28	26	28	28	1	1	2	3	4	5	5
19	27	29	27	29	29	2	2	3	4	5	6	6
20	28	30	28	30	1	3	3	4	5	6	7	7
21	29	1	29	1	2	4	4	5	6	7	8	8
22	1	2	1	2	3	5	5	6	7	8	9	9
23	2	3	2	3	4	6	6	7	8	9	10	10
24	3	4	3	4	5	7	7	8	9	10	11	11
25	4	5	4	5	6	8	8	9	10	11	12	12
26	5	6	5	6	7	9	9	10	11	12	13	13
27	6	7	6	7	8	10	10	11	12	13	14	14
28	7	8	7	8	9	11	11	12	13	14	15	15
29	8		8	9	10	12	12	13	14	15	16	16
30	9		9	10	11	13	13	1	15	16	17	17
31	10		10		12		14	15		17		18

The use of this Table is ease to be understood; for find the month desired in the head of the Table, and the day thereof in the first column under the title days, and in the common meeting of the lines, you shall have the Moons age, &c.

The Tyde-Table. 1660.

The Moons age	Queenborough, Southam-Ferry, Deptford, the Ferry, Spits, Dunkirk.	Rochester Weldon, Reding, Aberden, West end of the Nore.	Gravesend, Downs, Ramsey, Blackness, Scilly half tyde, Tenet.	London, Tilmouth, Liverpool, Lutherdam, White-bay.	Newcastle, Humber, Falmouth, Dartmouth, Gurnsey.	Plimouth, Weymouth, Hull, Lyn, Hampton, St. Ives, Holland of Britain, Padstillo	Bristol, Foulnesse, at the pere.
D	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H M.
1	0 48	1 33	2 18	3 48	6 3	6 48	7 33
2	1 36	2 21	3 6	4 36	6 51	7 36	8 21
3	2 24	3 9	3 54	5 24	7 39	8 24	9 9
4	3 12	3 57	4 42	6 12	8 27	9 12	9 57
5	4 00	4 45	5 30	7 00	9 15	10 00	10 45
6	4 48	5 33	6 18	7 48	10 3	10 48	11 33
7	5 36	6 21	7 6	8 36	10 51	11 36	0 21
8	6 24	7 9	7 54	9 24	11 39	12 24	1 9
9	7 12	7 57	8 42	10 12	12 27	1 12	1 57
10	8 00	8 45	9 30	11 00	1 15	2 00	2 45
11	8 48	9 33	10 18	11 48	2 3	2 48	3 33
12	9 36	10 21	11 6	12 36	2 51	3 36	4 21
13	10 24	11 9	11 54	1 24	3 39	4 24	5 9
14	11 12	11 57	12 42	2 12	4 27	5 12	5 57
15	12 00	12 45	1 30	3 00	5 15	6 00	6 45
16	0 48	1 33	2 18	3 48	6 3	6 48	7 33
17	1 36	2 21	3 6	4 36	6 51	7 36	8 21
18	2 24	3 9	3 54	5 24	7 39	8 24	9 9
19	3 12	3 57	4 42	6 12	8 27	9 12	9 57
20	4 00	4 45	5 30	7 00	9 15	10 00	10 45
21	4 48	5 33	6 18	7 48	10 3	10 48	11 33
22	5 36	6 21	7 6	8 36	10 51	11 36	0 21
23	6 24	7 9	7 54	9 24	11 39	12 24	1 9
24	7 12	7 57	8 42	10 12	12 27	1 12	1 57
25	8 00	8 45	9 30	11 00	1 15	2 00	2 45
26	8 48	9 33	10 18	11 48	2 3	2 48	3 33
27	9 36	10 21	11 6	12 36	2 51	3 36	4 21
28	10 24	11 9	11 54	1 24	3 39	4 24	5 9
29	11 12	11 57	12 42	2 12	4 27	5 12	5 57
30	12 00	12 45	1 30	3 00	5 15	6 00	6 45

The Moons age	Yarmouth, Dover, Harwich, Calice Road, S. John de Luce, Bullen	Ely, Winchelsea, Gernsey, Thames mouth, Fair Isle, Lodon	Needles, Oxford, Lyn Reg. South and North Portsmuth	Dundee, St. Andrews, Lisbon, Sc. Lewis, Bell Isle, Holy Isle.	Milford, Bridge-water, Trent, Worcester, Landford,	Barwick, Orford, Fishing, Boardness, Flamborow.	Portland, Freshpoint, the Hegue, Dublin, Mathew, Lambert,
D.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
1	11 18	0 3	10 33	3 38	18 4	33 9	3
2	12 6	0 51	11 21	3 51	9 6	5 21	9 51
3	12 54	1 39	0 9	4 39	9 54	6 9	10 39
4	1 42	2 27	0 57	5 27	10 42	6 57	11 27
5	2 30	3 15	1 45	6 15	11 30	7 45	0 15
6	3 18	4 3	2 33	7 3	0 18	8 33	1 3
7	4 6	4 51	3 21	7 51	1 6	9 21	1 51
8	4 54	5 39	4 9	8 39	1 54	10 9	2 39
9	5 42	6 27	4 57	9 27	2 42	10 57	3 27
10	6 30	7 15	5 45	10 15	3 30	11 45	4 15
11	7 18	8 3	6 33	11 3	4 18	0 33	5 3
12	8 6	8 51	7 21	11 51	5 6	1 21	5 51
13	8 54	9 39	8 9	0 39	5 54	2 9	6 39
14	9 42	10 27	8 57	1 27	6 42	2 57	7 27
15	10 30	11 15	9 45	2 15	7 30	3 45	8 15
16	11 18	0 3	10 33	3 38	18 4	33 9	3
17	12 6	0 51	11 21	3 51	9 6	5 21	9 51
18	12 54	1 39	0 9	4 39	9 54	6 9	10 39
19	1 42	2 27	0 57	5 27	10 42	6 57	11 27
20	2 30	3 15	1 45	6 15	11 30	7 45	0 15
21	3 18	4 3	2 33	7 3	0 18	8 33	1 3
22	4 6	4 51	3 21	7 51	1 6	9 21	1 51
23	4 54	5 39	4 9	8 39	1 54	10 9	2 39
24	5 42	6 27	4 57	9 27	2 42	10 57	3 27
25	6 30	7 15	5 45	10 15	3 30	11 45	4 15
26	7 18	8 3	6 33	11 3	4 18	0 33	5 3
27	8 6	8 51	7 21	11 51	5 6	1 21	5 51
28	8 54	9 39	8 9	0 39	5 54	2 9	6 39
29	9 42	10 27	8 57	1 27	6 42	2 57	7 27
30	10 30	11 15	9 45	2 15	7 30	3 45	8 1<

Old Stile. Full Moon the 7 day, 37 min. past 4 morning.
Last quarter the 15 day, 46 min. past 4 morning.
New Moon the 21 day, 45 min. past 9 at night.
First quarter the 28 day, 21 min. past 7 at night.
New Stile.

K	C	Festival days & Inclination of the air.	☉ ♒	☽ ☌	Planets mutual Aspects.	M	D
1	a	New-years day	21 59	19 17		11	b
2	b	Sun riseth 8. 0.	23 1	2 ♓ 36		12	c
3	c	2 Sund. af. Christ.	24 2	13 45	✶♄☿ 11.	13	d
4	d	Sun setteth, 4. 3.	25 3	25 47		14	e
5	e	The Moneth be-	26 4	7 ♉ 41		15	f
6	f	Epiphany. gins	27 6	19 34	☽ Apog.	16	g
7	g	with seasonable	28 7	1 ♌ 28		17	a
8	a	weather.	29 8	13 20		18	b
9	b		♒ 9	25 15		19	c
10	c	1 Sun. aft. Epiph.	1 10	7 ♍ 17	△☉♅ 3.	20	d
11	d	Sun riseth 7. 49.	2 11	19 21		21	e
12	e	Sun sets 4. 11.	3 12	1 ♎ 39		22	f
13	f	Hillary.	4 13	14 6		23	g
14	g	Pretty cool, sharp	5 14	26 51		24	a
15	a	weather, serene	6 15	9 ♏ 54		25	b
16	b	and temperate.	7 16	23 24	✶☌♆ 20.	26	c
17	c	2 Sun. aft. Epiph.	8 17	7 ♐ 19		27	d
18	d	No great alterati-	9 18	21 39		28	e
19	e	on of air, till nigh	10 19	6 ♑ 23	☽ Perig.	29	f
20	f	the Moneths end.	11 20	21 10		30	g
21	g	Sun riseth 7. 34.	12 21	6 ♒ 36		31	a
22	a	Sun sets, 4. 28.	13 22	21 48		Febr.	
23	b	Termini begin.	14 23	6 ♓ 48	△♅♆ 8	1	b
24	c	3 Sun. aft. Epiph.	15 24	21 32	☌☉♄ 17.	2	c
25	d	S. Pauls Conver.	16 25	5 ♈ 48		3	d
26	e	cold, cloudy, dark	17 25	19 38		4	e
27	f	and obscure aire,	18 26	2 ♉ 58		5	f
28	g	if not much snow.	19 27	15 54		6	g
29	a		20 28	28 30		7	a
30	b	K. Charles Mart.	21 28	10 ♊ 44	✶♅☌ 13	8	b
31	c	4 Sun. aft. Epiph.	22 29	22 50		9	c
						10	d

WEre it not for the Malevolent Effects of the late Eclipſe of the *Sun* in *October*, and of that remarkable Conjunction of *Saturn* and *Mars*, alſo in *November* laſt, which ſeem now drawing near unto manifeſtation, we might aſſuredly judge, That the Actions of this very time would be of a ſerene Temper: The many Benevolent and Calm Configurations, and Aſpects of Heaven, at this very beginning of the year, being very propitious unto Mankinde; and do ſeem to intimate unto us, That the preſent poſture of Affairs, in very many parts of *Europe*, ſtand in a peaceable and quiet Condition. However, it may be feared, that in ſome foreign and remote Parts of the World, Controverſies are a hatching, or ſome jealouſies, or Diſputes, may ariſe betwixt ſome Nations, or Countries, Northward, or North-eaſt. Did the Seaſon of the year admit of any material Action, we might then have ſome cauſe to judge, That the *Tartars*, *Muſcovites*, or *Coſſacks*, would be now in a War-like poſiture, or ready to give ſome Diſturbances unto ſome Countries, or Places, bordering upon thoſe unruly Peoples Territories: Or that ſome Buſineſs of Conſequence, would at, or near this very time, appear amongſt them: The late Conjunction of *Saturn* and *Mars*, before mentioned, happening in *Aquarius*, ſeems to be the Precurſor of much Trouble in thoſe parts of the World: And that thoſe People, beforenamed, will be either at War one with another, and amongſt themſelves, or otherwiſe joyn in League, to diſturb the Affairs of their Neighbouring Countries.—— News arrives from the Seas, and from ſome Places North, and North-eaſt, of ſome very weighty Matters now under Conſideration. Clandeſtine Deſignes on foot in ſome foreign Countries. The Fleets, and Ships, of ſome Merchants, ſubject to ſome Miſchances, eſpecially thoſe ſayling Northward. Providence ſmiles upon *London*, and her Citizens have good Trading, &c.——

February

Old Stile. Full Moon the 5 day, 40 min. past 11 at night.
Last quarter the 13 day, 13 min. past 4 afternoon.
New Moon the 20 day, near 8 in the morning.
First quarter the 27 day, near 1 afternoon. New Stile.

☽	☿	Festival days & Inclin. of the air, &c.	☉	☽	Planets mutual aspects.	☽	☿
1	d	Sun riseth 7. 17.	23	30	4 41 ☌ ♄ ♀ 20	11	g
2	e	Purif. of V. Mary	24	30	16 41	12	a
3	f	Sun sets 4. 16.	25	31	28 20 ☽ Apog.	13	b
4	g	Very cold, windy,	26	31	10 ♌ 12	14	c
5	a	at the beginning	27	32	22 9	15	d
6	b	of this Month.	28	33	4 ♍ 13	16	e
7	☾	Septuagesima.	29	33	16 24	17	f
8	d		○ ♓	33	28 43	18	g
9	e	The air unsettled	1	34	11 ♎ 12 □ ☉ ♃ 21	19	a
10	f	cold weath. storm.	2	34	23 51 □ ♃ ♀ 21.	20	b
11	g	Sun riseth 6. 59	3	34	6 ♏ 50 ☌ ☉ ♀ 3.	21	c
12	a	Term ends.	4	35	19 44 △ ♃ ♀ 23.	22	d
13	b	Sun setteth 5. 4.	5	35	3 ♐ 16	23	e
14	☾	Sexagesima,	6	35	16 59 Valentine	24	f
15	d	In the foregoing	7	36	1 ♑ 4	25	g
16	e	week, or about	8	36	15 29	26	a
17	f	this time, expect	9	36	0 ♒ 11 ☽ Perig.	27	b
18	g	sudden change of	10	36	15 6	28	c
19	a	air, storms, sleety,	11	36	0 ♓ 5	Mar.	
20	b	or dirty weather.	12	36	14 57	2	e
21	☾	Quinquagesima.	13	36	29 39	3	f
22	d		14	36	13 ♈ 59	4	g
23	e	Shrove Tuesday.	15	36	27 52 ✶ ♄ ☌ 24	5	a
24	f	Ash-Wednesday.	16	36	11 ♉ 21 S. Mathias	6	b
25	g	Sun riseth 6. 32.	17	36	24 21	7	c
26	a	Sun setteth 5. 28	18	36	7 ♊ 0	8	d
27	b	✶ ♃ ♀ 5. cold air	19	36	19 16 ☌ ♄ ♀ 3.	9	e
28	☾	1 Sunday in Lent	20	35	1 ♋ 19	10	f

THE Winde blewes high; The Seas are rough and boyſterous, and are not very ſafe for thoſe that travel upon them. Very many various Reports are ſcattered abroad, touching the preſent face of Things in the World. Death ſeems to deprive ſome Countryes of ſome eminent Man, or Men, either at the latter end of the other Month laſt paſt, *viz. January*, or in this very Month of *February*. Cold Blaſts, and frequent Showres, and Stormes, attends this Month; or in more plainer termes, much cold, and dirty, and fleety Weather, may be now expected. A Diſcourſe at this time ſeems hotly managed, and ſet forth, by many People; as if ſome Countries of *Europe* were not very well ſettled; or as if there was now ſome great probability, that ſome Diſaſters, or Troubles, would ere long break forth in ſome Regions. We have *Jupiter* in *Gemini*, and *Venus* is in Trine unto him; This promiſeth our *Engliſh Metropolis* much good, and alſo that its Inhabitants will Thrive, and grow Wealthy. Here is a Trine of *Saturn* and *Mars*, ſome Matters, which might give an Occaſion of Diſturbances, in ſome places of the World, were they throughly proſecuted, ſeem not near a happy Concluſion: Or an appearance of much Buſineſs of great Importance, now in agitation, carried on in a very moderate and quiet way. Intelligence comes from *Spain*, from *Portugal*, and ſundry other parts. *Venus* and *Mercury* are in Conjunction with *Saturn*, and here alſo happens a Quartile of *Sol* and *Jupiter*, and of *Jupiter* and *Mercury*, beſides, *Mercury* joynes himſelf with the *Sun*. We may probably conjecture, that the Actions of this Month will be much of the nature of the other paſt; for, it doth appear, as if it were a time more of Councell, than of any great Action; and thoſe Things which ſeem to be now in hand, I hope, are rather tending to peace, and the Advancement of Trading, than to Warr, or any Unſettlement in the World.

March

Old Stile | New Stile

Full Moon the 7 day, 38 min. past 4 afternoon.
Last quarter the 14 day, 54 min. after midnight.
New Moon the 21 day, 24 min. past 6 evening.
First quarter the 29 day, 30 min. past 7 morning.

M D	W D	Festival days & Inclination of the air.	☉ ♓		☽ ♋		Planets mutual Aspects	M D	W D
1	d	☿ Periphelion.]	21	35	13	10		11	g
2	e	Sun riseth 6. 20.	22	35	24	58	☽ Apog.	12	a
3	f	Sun setteth 5 41.	23	35	6 ♌	47	✱♂♀ 13.	13	b
4	g	Temperat weather, coldish at the	24	34	18	40		14	c
5	a		25	34	0 ♍	42		15	d
6	b	Months begining.	26	33	12	54		16	e
7	☾	2 Sund. in Lent.	27	33	25	16		17	f
8	d	☿ Elong. max.]	28	32	7 ♎	54		18	g
9	e		29	32	20	40		19	a
10	f	Some Stormes in	0 ♈	31	3 ♏	43		20	b
11	g	this week, or be-	1	31	16	54		21	c
12	a	gining of the next	2	30	0 ♐	16	☐ ♃♀ 8.	22	d
13	b	Sun riseth 5. 54.	3	29	13	47		23	e
14	☾	3 Sund. in Lent.	4	29	27	31		24	f
15	d	☿ Aphelion.]	5	28	11 ♑	28		25	g
16	e	☽ Perig.]	6	27	25	38	✱☉♃ 11	26	a
17	f	Sun setteth 6. 10.	7	26	9 ♒	58		27	b
18	g	Serene, & Indiffe-	8	25	24	25		28	c
19	a	rent good weath.	9	24	8 ♓	58		29	d
20	b	may be expected.	10	23	23	28		30	e
21	☾	4 Sund. in Lent.	11	23	7 ♈	52		31	f
22	d		12	22	22	2		April	
23	e	Not much altera-	13	21	5 ♉	51		2	a
24	f	tion of the aire.	14	20	19	18		3	b
25	g	Ann. of V. Mary.	15	18	2 ♊	2		4	c
26	a	Perhaps stormy,	16	17	15	21	☌ ☉ ☿ 7.	5	d
27	b	or some thunder.	17	16	27	16		6	e
28	☾	5 Sund. in Lent.	18	15	9 ♋	26		7	f
29	d	Sun riseth 5. 28.	19	13	21	16		8	g
30	e	Sun setteth 6. 34.	20	12	3 ♌	3	☽ Apog.	9	a
31	f		21	11	14	53		10	b

THe Heavens ſmile upon the preſent Tranſactions, and Publique Negotiations of ſome *Europeen* Countries; and the Heavenly Bodies, being in this Month no wayes diſturbed, or moleſted, in their Motions and Courſes, by any Malicious Aſpects, one with another, may, and do import, no Violent or Turbulent Actions, or any material Changes, or Alterations, to be expected to happen now, in theſe Parts of the World, we mean here in *Europe*. The *Sun* comes now to the *Vernal Æquinox*, and thereby gives us notice, That the Spring is at hand: Preſently after his ingreſs into *Aries*, he friendly ſalutes *Jupiter*, and comes to a Sextile Aſpect of him. Much Tranquillity ſeems promiſed by the Starrs, And many Kingdomes and Places are now bleſſed in their Undertakings. Much Traffique and Trading in ſundry Parts, and People ſeem generally well ſatisfied and contented, and receive benefit from, and by their Callings and Imployments. Some Rumours there are of Warr and Commotions, in ſome Parts beyond the Seas; But we cannot diſcern, but that Peace is the onely thing delighted in; notwithſtanding, whatever is neat theſe times reported, to the contrary. The arrival of ſundry Ambaſſadours, from foreign Parts, may be expected; His Majeſty of *Great Britain*, and People, Courted by foreign Princes; And the *Engliſh* ſeem proſperous in their Undertakings in very many Parts of the World. A Noyſe, as if ſomewhat were amiſs in *Germany*, or as if there were no great unity in thoſe Countries, which are lying towards the Eaſt. —— The *French*, *Danes*, *Germanes*, are Concerned, by the preſent Poſition of *Mars* in *Aries*, they ſeem active.

April

Old Stile. | Full Moon the 6 day, near 7 in the morning. | New Stile.
Last quarter the 13 day, 17 min. past 7 morning.
New Moon the 20 day, 24 min. past 5 morning.
First quarter the 28 day, 6. min. past 2 morning.

M. D.	W. D.	Festival days & Inclination of the air.	☉ ♈	☽ ♌	Planets mutual Aspects	M. D.	W. D.
1	g	Sun riseth 5. 20.	22 9	26 45		11	c
2	a	Sun sets 6. 42.	23 8	8 ♍ 49	✶☉♄ 3.	12	d
3	b		24 7	21 6		13	e
4	☾	Palm Sunday.	25 5	3 ♎ 39		14	f
5	d	Gentle Stormes,	26 4	16 30	✶♃☿ 15.	15	g
6	e	or temperate	27 2	29 38		16	a
7	f	showres of Rain,	28 1	13 ♏ 2		17	b
8	g	if not some thun	29 0	26 40	☌♀☿ 23.	18	c
9	a	der.	29 57	10 ♐ 26		19	d
10	b	Sun riseth 5. 0.	0 ♉ 56	24 21	✶♃♀ 1.	20	e
11	☾	Easter day.	1 54	8 ♑ 21		21	f
12	d	Sun sets 7. 3.	2 52	22 21	□♄♂ 14	22	g
13	e	Hasty & violent	3 50	6 ♒ 25	☽ Perig.	23	a
14	f	Storms of Haile	4 49	20 30	☿ Apheli-	24	b
15	g	and Rain-claps of	5 47	4 ♓ 37	(on	25	c
16	a	Thunder, &c.—	6 45	18 42		26	d
17	b		7 43	2 ♈ 47	✶♃☿ 16.	27	e
18	☾	Low Sunday.	8 41	16 45		28	f
19	d		9 39	0 ♉ 32	☽ ☊.	29	g
20	e	The Aire some-	10 37	14 5	✶♄♀ 18.	30	a
21	f	what moyst, un-	11 35	27 21		May.	
22	g	constant.	12 33	10 ♊ 19		2	f
23	a	S. George.	13 31	22 57	☿ in Dig.	3	d
24	b	Sun riseth 4. 35.	14 29	5 ♋ 15	(Max	4	e
25	☾	S. Mark Evang.	15 27	17 20		5	f
26	d	Sun sets 7. 29.	16 25	29 13	☽ Apog.	6	g
27	e		17 22	11 ♌ 1		7	a
28	f	Term begins.	18 20	22 49		8	b
29	g	Gentle Showres	19 18	4 ♏ 40	✶♄☿ 23.	9	c
30	a	near this time.	20 16	16 45		10	d

SEveral Reports, or much News, comes now in this Month of *April*, from *Holland*, *Scotland*, *Ireland*, *Poland*, and ſundry other parts of *Europe*. In thoſe Countries, and Kingdomes, where Armies are upheld, and ſtill continued, ſome Bloodſhed or Skirmiſh appears. It ſhould be towards *Poland*, *Muſcovia*, *Tartaria*, *Ruſſia*: In all, or ſome of thoſe Places, ſome unquiet Deſignes, or ſome war-like Stratagems are on foot. Great Diviſions amongſt the *Polanders*, or much trouble ſeizes upon thoſe People. Some of thoſe Countries, and Places, even juſt now before named, ſeem ſtartled at ſome approaching Action——— Much of the Influence of the laſt Conjunction of *Saturn* and *Mars* begins to operate, and ſundry things portended and deſigned thereby, are ready to ſhew themſelves upon the Stage of the VVorld. Somewhat of Concernment ſeems to happen in ſome Places under *Taurus*. *Saturn* and *Mars* comes now to a Quartile Aſpect, this Month, and all the other VVandring Stars remain in a peaceable Condition. An inviſible *Solar Eclipſe* this Month, as unto us here in *Europe* ſeems of no great matter, of moment, or importance unto us. *Saturn* and *Mars* are fixed, whereby they declare, that thoſe Actions and Matters portended by them to happen, near, or at theſe very times, to be durable, and of ſome Continuance. Some ſmall Commotions, and Stirrs, may be in *Italy*, or ſome petty Diviſions amongſt ſome of the *Italian* Princes, Or a fear as if there were a great likelyhood of ſome unquiet Things to be at hand, even in *Italy* it ſelf; Or ſome Famine, Sickneſſe, or VVar, &c. will attend thoſe Countries under *Leo*, of the which *Italy* is one. The Grand *Seignior* hinted at, in his preſent Deſignments at this time; and the *Turks* may effect much Misfortune in their VVar-like Enterprizes.——— News from *Ireland*.

May

Old Stile

Full Moon the 5 day, at 6 of the clock at night.
Last quarter the 12 day, 35 minutes past noon.
New Moon the 19 day, 27 min. past 5 afternoon.
First quarter the 27 day, 33 min. past 7 afternoon.

New Stile

M.	W.	Festival days, & Inclination of the air.	☉ ♉	☽ ♍	Planets mutual Aspects.	M.	W.
1	b	~~Ss Philip & Jac~~	11 13	29 2		11	e
2	c	3 Sund. af. Easter	12 11	11 ♎ 41		12	f
3	d	Sun riseth 4. 20.	13 9	24 40		13	g
4	e	Sun setteth 7.41.	14 6	8 ♏ 3		14	a
5	f	A probability of	15 4	21 50	□ ☉ ♄ 2.	15	b
6	g	some Thunder, &	16 2	5 ♐ 47		16	c
7	a	lightning, cold,	16 59	20 1		17	d
8	b	cloudy, dark aire.	17 57	4 ♑ 22		18	e
9	c	4 Sund. aft. Easter	18 54	18 48		19	f
10	d	♀ Diacentron.]	19 52	3 ♒ 9	☽ Perig.	20	g
11	e	not much change	0 ♊ 49	17 20		21	a
12	f	of whether until	1 47	1 ♓ 28		22	b
13	g	the next week.	2 44	15 22		23	c
14	a	Sun riseth 4. 6.	3 42	29 8		24	d
15	b	Sun setteth 7.55.	4 39	12 ♈ 49	□ ♄ ♀ 23.	25	e
16	c	~~Rogation Sunday~~	5 36	26 29		26	f
17	d	Very unsetled	6 34	9 ♉ 39		27	g
18	e	weather for many	7 31	22 52	□ ♄ ♀ 14.	28	a
19	f	days, not pleasan	8 28	5 ♊ 48		29	b
20	g	~~Ascension day~~	9 26	18 32	☌ ♃ ♂ 23.	30	c
21	a	Moyst weather,	10 23	0 ♋ 59		31	d
22	b	thund. lightning	11 20	13 16	☌ ♀ ☿ 9.	~~June.~~	
23	c	6 Sund. aft. Easter	12 18	25 18		1	e
24	d	~~Whitsunday~~	13 15	7 ♌ 12	☽ Apog.	3	g
25	e	Sun riseth 3. 52.	14 12	19 1		4	a
26	f	Sun setteth 8. 9.	15 9	0 ♍ 50		5	b
27	g	Crois weather,	16 6	12 37		6	c
28	a	moyst.	17 4	24 41	(♄ Stat.	7	d
29	b	~~K. Ch. r. R. & R~~	18 1	7 ♎ 0	△ ♄ ♂ 15.	8	e
30	c	~~Whit Sunday~~	18 58	19 41	☌ ☉ ☿ 8.	9	f
31	d	Unseasonable air	19 55	2 ♍ 38	☌ ♃ ☿ 8.	10	g

IT may now probably be conjectured, that very material action and deſigns, will be carried on, and managed in ſundry parts of the world. Great conſultations, and many deep and weighty things are now conſulted of, and great care is taken for the carrying on the publick affairs of ſome Nations. *Mars* poſſeſſeth *Gemini*, and in this very Moneth *Jupiter* and he, meets in conjunction therein. Some turbulent ſpirits, perhaps are active, or the fancies of ſome people are not very well ſetled, but rather at this time, in ſome places, ſeem bent upon miſchief. Many uproars, tumults, and diſorders may be feared in ſome Countries or Cities; or ſome Countries, Country, or City in *Europe* ſomewhat moleſted or diſquieted in this Moneth of *May*—— *Venus* and *Mercury* are going on unto *Gemini* at this time, and in their paſſage, they fall into a Quartile Aſpect with *Saturn* this Moneth: And the Planet *Mercury* comes to the Conjunction of *Jupiter*, *Sol*, and *Venus*. It doth ſeem to be a time of ſending of many Agents, Envoyes, or Ambaſſadors, or a ſeaſon of much News: Many ſundry and various things much diſcourſed and talked of by many people, ſome truly reported, and ſome meer lyes: ſome diſaffected people, in ſome Countries, are labouring to render the condition of ſome places, to be in a worſe ſtate than they really are. Scandalous Libels, or Seditious Papers creep abroad, or ſome pitiful printed Pamphlets peep out in ſome Countries. Some ſudden fire, or ſome unruly action, or ſome peſtilential Fevers, or Diſeaſes of that nature may be feared to appear this moneth, in ſome City or Cities in theſe European parts. *Flanders*, *Ireland*, &c. ſomewhat concerned by the aſpects of Heaven, and ſo is *Brabant*, *London*, *Bruges*, *Nurinberge*, &c.

Old Style. Full Moon the 4 day 8 min. past 3 morning.
Last quarter, the 10 day, 24 min. past 6 afternoon.
New Moon the 17 day 23 min. past 6. afternoon.
First quarter the 26 day, 35 min past 10 morning. New Style.

N.D.	W.D.	Festival daies and Inclination of Air	☉ ♊		☽ ♏		Planets mutual Aspects	N.D.	W.D.
1	e	Sun riseth 3. 50.	20	52	16	4	△♄♀ 14.	11	a
2	f	Sun sets, 8.11.	21	49	29	43		12	b
3	g	☌♂♀9. high wind	22	47	14 ♐	9	☌☉♃ 17.	13	c
4	a	some thunder, or	23	44	28	48		14	d
5	b	storms of rain.	24	41	13 ♑	36	△☉♄ 17.	15	e
6	☾	Trinity Sunday.	25	38	28	23		16	f
7	d	Serene, temperate,	26	35	13 ♒	12	☽ perig:	17	g
8	e	and calm air.	27	32	27	44		18	a
9	f		28	29	12 ♓	2	△♄♀ 8. ☌	19	b
10	g	Term beg. 11 day.	29	26	26	3	☌♃♀ 5.	20	c
11	a	S. Barnabas.	0	♋ 23	9 ♈	45	△♄♃ 10.	21	d
12	b	Sun riseth 3.4°.	1	20	23	13		22	
13	☾	1 Sun. after Trin.	2	18	6 ♉	25	☽ ☊	23	f
14	d	Sun sets 8.13.	3	15	19	27		24	g
15	c		4	12	2 ♊	1[illegible]		25	a
16	f	The weather very	5	9	14	48		26	b
17	g	seasonable.	6	6	27	15		27	c
18	a	Sun riseth 3.48.	7	3	9 ♋	30		28	d
19	b	Sun sets 8.12.	8	00	21	38		29	e
20	☾	2 Sund. after Trin.	8	17	3 ♌	37		30	f
21	d	Hasty and turbu-	9	54	15	25	☽ Apog.	July	
22	e	lent storms, both	10	51	27	18	☌☉♀ 1.	2	a
23	f	of rain and hail,	11	48	9 ♍	6	☌♂♀ 7.	3	b
24	g	S. John Baptist.	12	45	21	2	☌☉♂ 11	4	c
25	a	with tempestuous	13	42	3 ♎	3		5	d
26	b	weather.	14	39	15	18		6	e
27	☾	3 Sund. after Trin.	15	37	27	53		7	f
28	c	Sun riseth, 3.53.	16	34	10 ♏	50	Sun sets 8.[illegible]	8	g
29	e	S. Peter and Paul.	17	31	24	17		9	a
30	f	Term ends.	18	28	8 ♐	[illegible]		10	b

Junes Observations, 1669.

HEre are no less than five Planets in *Gemini*, even at the very beginning of this moneth of *June*, viz. *Jupiter*, *Mars*, *Sol*, *Venus*, and *Mercury*, and all of them too, not many degrees distant from each other. A very remarkable face of Heaven it is, and may very well foreshew and import busines of extraordinary consequence unto those places, whether Countries, or Cities under that Cœlestial Constellation. High and superlative matters are now under consideration, and are ready to be manifested in the Western and Northern parts of *Europe*. The influence of Heaven at this time, hath much relation unto the publick Negotiations and Transactions of many Countries: And truly, methinks *Flanders*, *Brabant*, and the Spanish Netherlands, and Low Countries should be sensible in some measure, of the present portents of the Stars. Multiplicity of busines approacheth, or several Nations are busie, and seem fully employed——Six eminent Conjunctions of the wandring Stars do now appear, viz. of *Sol* and *Venus* with *Jupiter*; of *Venus* and *Mercury* with *Mars*; as also *Venus* and *Mars* with the Sun. Certainly, somewhat of more than ordinary concernment seems intimated unto the World, by the heavenly bodies, at this present: but whether War or Peace is hereby intended, we leave for time to determine. However, a dubious season may be expected, and some Kingdoms, and Provinces, and Cities seem allarm'd. Action betwixt the Turk and Venetian. Sea fights not far off——The air in Midsummer Week proves tempestuous, much Thunder and Lightning, with Hail and Rain in the North of *England*, about *York*, &c. And from *Holland*, *Scotland*, *Venice*, *Constantinople*, &c. much News arrives.

God bless the City of *London*, now and ever——

Full Moon the 3 day, 40 min. past 10 before noon.
Last quarter, the 10 day, 42 min. past 1 morn.
New Moon the 17 day 29 min. past 9 at night.
First quarter, the 25 day, 21 min. past 11 at night.

N.D.	M.D.	Festival daies and Inclination of Air.	☉ ♋		☽ ♐		Planets mutual Aspects	N.D.	W.D.
1	g	Sun riseth, 3.57.	19	25	22	26		11	c
2	a	Visit. of Virg. Mary	20	22	7 ♑	9		12	d
3	b	Sun sets 8. 1.	21	19	22	6		13	e
4	☾	4 Sund. aft. Trin.	22	16	7 ♒	14	☽ Perig.	14	
5	d	♀ *Perihelion*]	23	13	22	18		15	g
6	e		24	11	7 ♓	14		16	a
7	f	☿ *Elong. max.*]	25	8	21	40		17	b
8	g	Somewhat windy,	26	5	6 ♈	4		18	c
9	a	or unsetled wea-	27	2	19	57	☍ ♄ ☿ 10.	19	d
10	b	ther.	27	59	3 ♉	19		20	e
11	☾	5 Sund. after Trin.	28	57	16	24	☿ Aphelion	21	
12	d		29	54	29	11		22	g
13	e		0 ♌	51	11 ♊	44		23	a
14	f	Sun riseth 4.13.	1	48	24	6		24	b
15	g	S. Swithin.	2	45	6 ♋	16		25	c
16	a	Sun sets 7.45.	3	43	18	20		26	d
17	b		4	40	0 ♌	21		27	e
18	☾	6 Sund. after Trin	5	37	12	15	☽ Apog.	28	
19	d	There is no great	6	35	24	7		29	g
20	e	mutation of the	7	32	5 ♍	59		30	a
21	f	air at this time.	8	29	17	52		31	b
22	g		9	27	29	48		Aug.	
23	a	Sun riseth 4.25.	10	24	11 ♎	53		2	11
24	b	Sun sets 7.33.	11	22	24	11		3	c
25	☾	S. James Apost.	12	19	6 ♏	41		4	
26	d	A probability of	13	17	19	35	☍ ♄ ♀ 1.	5	g
27	e	some thunder, or	14	14	2 ♐	52		6	a
28	f	tempestuous air.	15	12	16	35	☌ ♀ ☿ 0.	7	b
29	g		16	9	0 ♑	46		8	c
30	a	Sun riseth 4.37.	17	7	15	25		9	d
31	b	Sun sets 7. 27.	18	4	0 ♒	24		10	e

THe haſty ſhowers and violent ſtorms in the other moneth paſt, gave the Countryman ſmall encouragement, to proceed in the getting in of his Hay: but now we hope, that better weather attends him; yet now and then ſome ſmall ſtorms happen alſo at this time, a little hindring the Country peoples Hay-making. It may be very much feared that at the very entrance of this moneth, or at the latter end of the other laſt paſt, we ſhall hear that ſome place or places are much damaged by intemperate ſtorms, and Thunder and Lightning, or by ſome ſudden caſualty by Fire, and it ſhould be towards the North.——— The affairs of *Holland*, *Zealand*, and the United Provinces are much diſcourſed of, Something of remark happens in thoſe very parts, perhaps in or near *Amſterdam*, &c. as alſo in the City of *Venice*, in *Italy*, or amongſt the Venetians either at ſea or land, whoſe Forces and Navies ſeem full of Action——— The Turk ſeems to be near theſe times not very quiet, and may give ſome little trouble unto the Chriſtians, but we doubt not, but if Providence ſhall aſsign any Battail to be fought betwixt the Venetians this moneth, and the Turk, that the Venetians ſhall have the victory. We do conjecture, that ſome unexpected misfortune, or a ſudden diſaſter, will affright the Turks, in or about *Conſtantinople*, which place, and City, ſeems threatned with Fire, or tumultuous actions——— *Mercury* and *Venus* oppoſeth *Saturn*, and *Venus* and *Mercury* are joyned together in *Leo*. *Italy* a little out of order, or the Italian Princes not very peaceable amongſt themſelves. Some ſharp diſpute, or battail, in which the Turk will have a ſhare. Many ſhips at Sea in danger. Much falſe Intelligence flies abroad. From the North ſomewhat may be expected, as alſo from the Turk and Venetian ———

Old Style

Full Moon the 1 day. 44 min. past 5 afternoon.
Last quarter, the 8 day 38 min. past 11 before noon.
New Moon, the 16 day, 37 min. past 1 afternoon.
First quarter, the 24 day about 10 in the forenoon.
Full Moon, the last day, 15 min. past 3 morning.

New Style

M. D.		Festival daies and Inclination of Ayr.	☉	☽		Planets mutual Aspects	M. D.	W. D.
1	☌	Lammas day	19 0	15 37		☽ Perig.	1	♃
2	d	This month seems	19 59	0 ♌ 54		☌ ☉ ☿ 17	12	g
3	e	to begin with	20 57	15 58			13	a
4	f	much distemper'd	21 55	0 ♍ 52		☌ ☉ ♄ 4	4	b
5	g	weather.	22 52	15 17			15	c
6	a	Thunder & light.	23 50	29 17		✶ ♅ ♀ 18.	16	d
7	b	Sun riseth 4.50.	24 48	12♎ 45			17	e
8	☍	9 Sun. after Trin.	25 46	25 57			18	f
9	d	Sun sets 7.6.	26 43	8 ♏ 43			19	g
10	e		27 41	21 8			20	a
11	f	No material	28 39	3 ♐ 21			21	b
12	g	change of weather	29 37	15 22			22	c
13	a	☿ Stationary.]	0 ♍ 35	27 18		☌ ☌ ☿ 22.	23	d
14	b		☽ 33	9 ♑ 9			24	e
15	☌	10 Sun after Trin.	1 31	21 1		☽ Apog	25	f
16	d	Sun riseth 5.6.	3 29	2 ♑ 44			26	g
17	e	Sun sets, 6. 52.	4 27	14 49			27	a
18	f	Much alteration	5 25	26 50			28	b
19	g	of weather.	6 23	8 ♒ 56			29	c
20	a	☿ Elong. max.]	7 21	21 10		☌ ☌ ☿ 20.	30	d
21	b		8 19	3 ♓ 36		☌ ♄ ☌ 22	31	e
22	☍	11 Sun after Trin	9 18	16 11		✶ ☉ ☿ 18	Sept.	
23	d	Thunder, &c.	10 16	29 5			2	g
24	e	S. Bartholomew.	11 14	12♈ 17		☿ Periheli	3	a
25	f	After some sudden	12 12	25 51		(on.	4	b
26	g	Tempest, the air	13 11	9 ♉ 51			5	c
27	a	grows temperate	14 9	24 12			6	d
28	b	for this time.	15 7	8 ♊ 58		☽ Perig.	7	e
29	☍	12 Sun after Trin	16 6	23 59			8	f
30	d	Sun riseth 5.22.	17 4	9 ♋ 7				g
31	e	Sun sets 6.26.	18 2	24 11				a

Auguſts Obſervations, 1669.

DId not the cold influence of *Saturn* now much mitigate and take off the hot & choleric temper of *Mars*, this preſent *Auguſt* would prove very hot; and ſundry peſtilential Diſeaſes might now be feared, to happen unto mankind, by reaſon of the intemperancy of the air: for, although at this preſent *Mars* is in *Leo*, a hot and cholerick Conſtellation of Heaven, wherein he keeps Reſident, even all this Moneth: yet *Saturn* ſeems to contradict his influence in ſome meaſure, and will now and then cauſe cool weather, *Mercury* is now once in Conjunction with the Sun, and twice with *Mars* in the aforeſaid ſign. And *Sol* and *Mars* oppoſeth *Saturn* —— The Souldier or Martial Man ſeems ready for action, or bloud ſhed, or ſome battail, or ſlaughter of people towards the Eaſtern, or North-Eaſt parts of the World; or the Plague, or ſome ſad epidemical Diſeaſe affrights ſome of the Eaſtern Countries. *Mars* ſtirs up the Innaſcible power of man, and ſeems to declare ſtrife and contention, or furious and bloudy actions and deſigns His preſent poſition hath much relation unto *Italy*, *Rome*, and the Turks Dominions and Territories, and thoſe places under *Leo*. The Tartars, or Coſacks ſeem unruly, ſome very conſiderable action happens amongſt them. War moleſts ſome Nations and Kingdoms —— And ſome eminent perſon, or perſons in the World in danger of a Feaver, or ſome ſudden ſickneſs, or miſchance. Great diviſions in the Eaſt parts, or an appearance of diſaſters in ſome of the Oriental Regions. The Aſpects of Heaven are at this time ſomewhat violent, and turbulent, which will diſturb the air, and ſeem to portend many haſty and furious actions to ſucceed ——

Italy, *Tartaria*, *Moſcovia*, &c. ſeem hinted at.

Old style. Last quarter, the 7 day 21 min. past 1 morning.
New Moon, the 15 day 31 min. past 5 morning.
First quarter, the 22 day, near 7 at night.
Full Moon the 29 day, 41 min. past 10 morning. New style.

M. D.	W. D.	Festival daies and Inclination of Air.	☉ ♍		☽ ♈		Planets mutual Aspects	M. D.	W. D.
1	f	Sun riseth 5.37.	19	1	9		9	11	b
2	g	Sun sets 6.20.	20	0	23		42	12	c
3	a	✱ ♃ ☿ 6]misty, or	20	59	7	♉	52	□ ♃ ♀ 9.	13	d
4	b	fleety weather.	21	57	21		34	14	e
5	☾	13 Sun, after Trin.	22	55	4	♊	49	15	f
6	d		23	54	17		34	16	g
7	e		24	53	29		57	17	a
8	f	About the Suns	25	51	12	♋	11	18	b
9	g	ingress into *Libra*	26	50	24		9	19	c
10	a	expect good wea-	27	49	6	♌	3	△ ♄ ♀ 3.	20	d
11	b	Sun rise 5.53. (ther	28	48	17		48	21	e
12	☾	14 Sun, after Trin.	29	47	29		39	22	f
13	d	Sun sets 6. 0.	0	♎ 46	11	♍	33	23	g
14	e	High winds, the	1	45	23		35	☌ ☉ ☿ 3	24	a
15	f	air much unsetled,	2	44	5	♎	45	☽ Apog.	25	b
16	g	and very uncon-	3	43	18		5		26	c
17	a	stant.	4	42	0	♏	36	☽ ☋	27	d
18	b		5	41	13		1[illegible]		28	e
19	☾	15 Sun, after Trin.	6	40	26		6		29	f
20	d		7	39	9	♐	8		30	g
21	e	S. Matthew.	8	39	22		2[illegible]	□ ♃ ☿ 2	Oct.	
22	f	More winds & tur-	9	38	5	♑	5[illegible]		2	b
23	g	bulent weather.	10	3[illegible]	19		4[illegible]		3	c
24	a	Sun riseth 6 20.	11	3[illegible]	3	♒	5[illegible]	△ ♄ ☿ 5.	4	d
25	b	Sun sets 5.38.	12	3[illegible]	18		2[illegible]	☽ Perig.	5	e
26	☾	16 Sun, after Trin	13	35	4	♓	58	□ ☉ ♃ 9.	6	f
27	d	The Month ends	14	34	17		4		7	g
28	e	very seasonable.	15	3[illegible]	2	♈	28	✱ ♃ ♂ 13.	8	a
29	f	S. Mich. Arch.	16	3[illegible]	17		2[illegible]		9	b
30	g	Calm & temperate	17	3[illegible]		♉	[illegible]	☌ ♃ ♀ 10.	10	c

PErhaps we may now hear of ſome hot action, which hath lately happened in *Bohemia*, or in the Duke of *Savoys* Country. The Sun now takes his leave of *Virgo*, and enters the ſecond Æquinoctial ſign, *viz. Libra*; And thereby makes the Autumnal Quarter appear—— If that the effects of the late malevolent Oppoſition of *Saturn* and *Mars* in the other Moneth paſt, *viz. Auguſt*, do not now break forth, we cannot diſcern but that the Actions and Conſultations of this Moneth will be very propitious unto mankind: And the amicable and friendly diſpoſition of Heaven at this very time, *viz.* even in this moneth of *September* may very well aſſure us, That many of the European Countries and Cities are now bleſſed with good and happy ſucceſs in their undertakings: and that the Merchants have now good News from Sea, and that many rich Merchant Ships now arrive. *England* ſeems happy in its trading; and ſo likewiſe doth *Holland*, *Zealand*, and the United Provinces. The Aſpects of the Stars ſeem favourable, both unto the Engliſh and Dutch in their preſent Trading and Traffick in ſeveral parts of the world—— *Jupiter* hath now for theſe two full months paſt been in *Cancer*, the cœleſtial ſign, wherein he is exalted, *viz.* ever ſince the third day of *July*, & in the next month, *viz. October*, he comes to the 15th Degree thereof, being the very degree of his exaltation. *Mercury*, *Venus*, and *Mars* friendly ſalutes him this moneth, and are in Sextile aſpect with him: Serene actions ſhould follow, and moſt Nations of *Europe* are managing their Affairs and publick Concernments, with very much moderation, and a quiet, and peaceable frame of ſpirit poſſeſſeth many people: And the greateſt or chiefeſt buſineſs now in hand in the world, ſeems wholly to be the ſetting out of Ships for Trade. The City of *Venice* ſhall proſper and thrive, whilſt the Turks ſuffer loſs, &c.——

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Old style. Last quarter the 6 day, 32 min. past 6 at night.
New Moon, the 14 day 24 min. past 9 at night.
First quarter, the 22 day, 50 min. past 2 morning.
Full Moon, the 28 day 7 min. past 10 at night.

New style.

M.D.	W.D.	Festival daies and Inclination of Air.	☉ ♎		☽ ♉		Planets mutual Aspects	M.D.	W.D.
1	a	Sun riseth 6.36.	18	33	15	59	△☉♄ 8.	11	d
2	b	Sun sets 5.22.	19	32	29	41	△♂♀ 3.	12	e
3	☾	17 Sund. after Trin	20	32	13 ♊	0	□♄♀ 19.	13	f
4	d	Somewhat cold, or	21	32	25	51		14	g
5	e	sleety, and dirty.	22	31	8 ♋	23		15	a
6	f	at or about the be-	23	31	20	32		16	b
7	g	ginning of this	24	31	2 ♌	31	☿ Aphelion	17	c
8	a	month, or near	25	31	14	20	♂ Aphelion	18	d
9	b	these days——	26	31	26	7	☽ apog.	19	e
10	☾	18 Sund. after Trin	27	31	7 ♍	58		20	f
11	d	Sun riseth 6.56.	28	30	19	54	△♃☿ 2.	21	g
12	e	Sun sets 5.2.	29	30	2 ♎	2		22	a
13	f		0 ♏	30	14	21	♄ Stat. in	23	b
14	g	☽ ☊] Windy, cold	1	30	26	54	(□☿ 13	24	c
15	a	and sleety, &c—	2	31	9 ♏	42		25	d
16	b		3	31	22	42		26	e
17	☾	19 Sund. after Trin	4	31	5 ♐	58		27	f
18	d	S. Luke Evang.	5	31	19	24		28	g
19	e		6	31	2 ♑	56		29	a
20	f	Serene, and the	7	31	16	35	✶♂☿ 5.	30	b
21	g	air pretty calm &	8	32	0 ♒	30		31	c
22	a	temperate.	9	32	14	30		Nov.	
23	b	Term begins	10	32	28	38	☽ Perig.	2	c
24	☾	20 Sun. after Trin	11	33	12 ♓	55		3	f
25	d	Sun riseth 7.22.	12	33	27	13	♀ Aphelion	4	g
26	e	Sun sets 4.36.	13	33	11 ♈	38		5	a
27	f		14	34	25	47	△☉♃ 19	6	b
28	g	S. Sim. and Jude.	15	34	10 ♉	7	✶♄♀ 9.	7	c
29	a	Cold towards the	16	35	24	4		8	d
30	b	months end.	17	35	7 ♊	30		9	e
31	☾	21 Sun. after Trin.	18	35	20	55	□☉♄ 12.	10	f

Octobers Observations, 1669.

AN invisible Solar Eclipse this Month, (I mean as unto us here in *Europe*) seems to have no great relation unto the European parts of the world; nor will its effects reach thus far; it being visible beyond the Æquinoctial circle &c. —— The Mercurialists, and such as are signified by *Mercury* are somewhat passive at, or near these times; And some Merchants, it may be feared, do now receive loss. Many ships at Sea often in danger by tempestuous weather, or it is very probable, that Shipwrecks now happen towards the Northern Coasts: The weather being somewhat boisterous at Sea this Month, which may occasion much damage unto sundry Ships. *Sol*, *Venus*, and *Mercury* are now in Quartile Aspect of *Saturn*, as they pass through *Scorpio*, —— Much dirty and drisling weather may be expected, or much cold rain, and great clouds in some parts of *England*, which may somewhat retard the Husbandman in the sowing of his Wheat. Those people that Trade towards *Norway* have but somewhat slender success in their voyages, by reason of the roughness of the Seas. The Piratical people of *Algier* prove a little troublesome to the Shipping of some Nations: Those people seem to appear in their proper colours near, or about these times, in robbing of some Merchants Ships, whose fortune now falls to sail in their Road. Yet, some loss they may expect to be sensible of in this Month, and may be, perhaps, sufficiently checked for their untoward carriage towards the people of some Nations. *Jupiter*, just as he comes to the very degree of his exaltation, turns Retrograde this Month: and *Saturn* being Stationary six days together, at last becomes in his motion direct the 17th day: And having ever since the 26th of *May* last been Retrograde in *Aquarius*, now moves directly again forward, in that sign &c. ——

Old style. Last quarter, the 5 day near 3 in the afternoon.
New Moon the 13 day, 18 min. past noon.
First quarter the 20 day, 10 min. past 10 before noon.
Full Moon the 27 day, 9 min. past noon. New style.

M.D.	W.D.	Festival daies and Inclination of Air.	☉ ♏		☽ ♋		Planets mutual Aspects.	M.D.	W.D.
1	d	All Saints	19	17	3	47		11	g
2	e	All Souls.	20	37	16	17		12	a
3		Sun riseth 7.38.	21	38	28	32		13	b
4	g	Sun sets 4. 21.	22	38	10 ♌	30		14	c
5	a	Powder Plot.	23	39	22	21	☽ Apog.	15	d
6	b		24	40	4 ♍	7		16	e
7	☾	22 Sund. after Trin	25	41	15	48		17	f
8	d	The weather will	26	41	27	53		18	g
9	e	continue in a very	27	42	10 ♎	0		19	a
10	f	settled posture for	28	43	22	27		20	b
11	g	many days——	29	44	5 ♏	10		21	c
12	a		0	45	18	13		22	d
13	b	Sun riseth 7.52.	1	46	1 ♐	36		23	e
14	☾	23 Sund. after Trin	2	47	15	15		24	f
15	d	Sun sets 4. 5.	3	48	29	7		25	g
16	e	✱ ♂ ☿ 5.] Great	4	49	13 ♑	9	□ ♃ ♂ 16.	26	a
17	f	change of weather	5	50	27	17		27	b
18	g	tending to coldnes	6	51	11 ♒	28	☍ ♃ ♀ 1.	28	c
19	a	Dirty, high winds.	7	52	25	46	☌ ☉ ☿ 18.	29	d
20	b		8	53	9 ♓	53	□ ♂ ♀ 18.	30	e
21	☾	24 Sun. after Trin.	9	54	23	47		Dec.	
22	d		10	55	7 ♈	47		2	g
23	e	Expect indifferent	11	56	21	35		3	a
24	f	seasonable wea-	12	57	5 ♉	24		4	b
25	g	ther.	13	58	19	11	△ ♄ ♂ 11.	5	c
26	a	Sun riseth 8. 6.	14	59	2 ♊	39		6	d
27	b	Sun sets 3.54.	16	0	15	56		7	e
28	☾	S. Andrew Apost.	17	2	28	59		8	f
29	d	Term ends.	18	3	11 ♋	44		9	g
30	e	Advent Sunday.	19	4	24	12		10	a

THis present Month of *November* seems not to admit of much Action. Some News arrives from the western parts of the world. Various reports from *Spain*, and the *West Indies*. *Mars* is now in Square of *Jupiter*; and *Venus* opposeth both *Jupiter* and *Mars*. The house of *Austria* a little unsetled, or *Austria* it self somewhat disquieted. Its very probable, that some remarkable action now happens betwixt the Turk and Venetian, or that those people are not at quiet. The Stars at this time are more of importance unto some Western and Southern Countries, in the remoter parts of the world, than unto these European Countries and Kingdoms. Something very considerable may happen or appear in some forraign Plantation. Here is a Trine of *Saturn* and *Mars*, as if those matters and things designed by their last Conjunction were near some happy conclusion: or as if the malevolent effects of the same Conjunction as aforesaid, were almost extinguished, or very near run out. The Aspects of Heaven being now in *Cancer*, *Libra*, and *Capricorn*, we mean before mentioned, to happen this Month, *viz.* Those betwixt *Mars*, *Jupiter* and *Venus*; tells those Countries lying under those Constellations, that in one kind or other, they will a little be sensible of their portents: whatever being by them at this Trine portended, seem wholly to have regard unto those places —— The publick Negotiations of those places under *Cancer* are managed with much courage and resolution, and those people subject unto that Celestial *Asterisme*, seem to be full of lofty undertakings; notwithstanding some little impediment or hinderance, they may at this time be somewhat sensible of. The Hollander hath many Ships at Sea, seems full of trading. It may be expected that about this time intelligence will come from *Holland*, *Barbadoes*, *Tangier*, *Jamaica*, and other forraign Plantations.

December

Old style.

Last quarter, the 5 day, 2 min. past 1 afternoon.
New Moon 13 day, 43 min. past 1 morning.
First quarter, the 19 day, 11 min. past 7 at night.
Full Moon the 27 day, 45 min. past 4 morning.

M.D.	W.D.	Festival daies and Inclination of Air.	☉ ♐		☽ ♌		Planets mutual Aspects.	N.D.	W.D.
1	f	Sun riseth 8.10.	20	5	0	2	✶ ☉ ♄ 18.	1	b
2	g	Sun sets 3.49.	21	6	18	22		12	c
3	a	A little cloudy &	22	8	0 ♍	18	☽ Apog.	13	d
4	b	frosty.	23	9	12	5		14	e
5	☾	2 Sund. in Advent	24	10	23	41		15	f
6	d		25	11	5 ♎	46		16	g
7	e	The wether proves	26	13	17	54		17	a
8	f	serene and calm,	27	14	0 ♏	16		18	b
9	g	clear & comfort-	28	15	13	4		19	c
10	a	able air about this	29	16	26	12	✶ ☉ ♂ 1.	20	d
11	b	very time.	0 ♑	18	9 ♐	44		21	e
12	☾	3 Sund. in Advent	1	19	23	44		22	f
13	d	Sun riseth 8.13.	2	20	6 ♑	1		23	g
14	e	Sun sets 3.47.	3	22	22	30		24	a
15	f		4	23	7 ♒	8		25	b
16	g	Here seems to be	5	24	21	42		26	c
17	a	moderate & good	6	25	6 ♓	14	☉ & ☽ Pe-	27	d
18	b	weather.	7	27	20	32	rig.)	28	e
19	☾	4 Sun. in Advent.	8	28	4 ♈	38		29	f
20	d	☌ ♄ ♀ c.]	9	29	18	29	☍ ☉ ♃ 20	30	g
21	e	S. Thom. Apost.	10	31	2 ♉	10	✶ ♄ ☿ 22	31	a
22	f	Cold weather may	11	32	15	37		Jan.	
23	g	be expected now.	12	33	28	55		2	c
24	a		13	35	11 ♊	58		3	d
25	b	Christmas day.	14	36	24	5[illegible]		4	e
26	☾	S. Stephen.	15	37	7 ♋	38		5	f
27	d	S. John Evang.	16	38	20	[illegible]	△ ♃ ♂ 3.	6	g
28	e	H. Innocents.	17	40	2 ♌	2[illegible]		7	a
29	f	Sun riseth. 8.2.	18	41	14	33	✶ ♀ ☿ 2.	8	b
30	g	Sun sets, 3.57.	19	42	26	25		9	c
31	a		20	43	8 ♍	22	☽ Apog.	10	d

Decembers Obſervations, 1669.

THis preſent year of 1669, is now almoſt expired, It having been a year of Remark unto divers foraign Countries, both as unto Action and Councel. The influences of Heaven do operate more in the air at this time, than upon the earth, cauſing the weather to be cold and ſharp, and ſome ſtore of ſnow will fall in ſome places this moneth, at or near *Chriſtmas*. *Mars* is now leaving *Libra*, and entring *Scorpio*, and towards the Moneths end, applies to the Trine of *Jupiter*: whileſt *Sol* oppoſeth *Jupiter*, and *Venus* joynes with *Saturn*. The *Sun* coming now unto *Capricorn* acquaints us with the beginning of the Winter quarter: and doth thereby make the ſhorteſt day and longeſt night unto all the Northern Inhabitants of the World, it being the ſecond *Solſtice*. The conſtitution and preſent diſpoſition of this very time, ſeem to be of a calm and quiet nature, and the European Countries and affairs ſeem, in the general, well ordered and ſetled: and it may be hoped, that peace and tranquility attends ſundry Nations: and people are well contented, and well ſatisfied. The ſtars are no ways violently poſited at this Solſtitial Ingreſs. nor are the Configurations of Heaven at this time attending it furious, or malevolent; which doth in ſome meaſure portend and declare a calm and ſerene winter at hand, that is, as in relation unto the preſent ſtate and condition of ſome Countries. We therefore conclude our Monethly Obſervations upon this year, and do ſay, That although the Aſpects of the Heavens, and Configurations of the Celeſtial Bodies, did portend matters and things, to ſtand (in the Summer quarter paſt) very dubiouſly betwixt ſome Nations, whereby diſturbances might ariſe in ſome foraign places; yet, now it may be hoped, that the year will end, with peace and quietneſs, and to the great content of moſt people——

Deo ſoli ſapienti Laus & Gloria.

The Dominion of the Moon in Man's Body passing under the twelve Zodiacal CONSTELLATIONS.

♈ aries head and face.	♎ Libra reins and loins.
♉ Taurus neck and throat.	♏ Scorpio secret members.
♊ Gemini arms & shoulders	♐ Sagitary thighs and hips.
♋ Cancer breast & stomach.	♑ Capricorn the knees.
♌ Leo heart and back.	♒ Aquarius the legs.
♍ Virgo bowels and belly.	♓ Pisces the feet.

The Names and Characters of the seven Planets, with the Dragons Head and Tail.

♄ Saturn.
♃ Jupiter.
♂ Mars.
} ☉ Sol, or the Sun.
{ ♀ Venus.
☿ Mercury.
☽ The Moon.

☊ Dragons Head.
☋ Dragons Tail.

A Table of the Aspects both Old and New, according to *EICHSTADIUS*.

Characters	Names of the Aspects.	Distant in Sig.	D.	The Phasis or shapes of the Moon's Light.
☌	Conjunction.	0	00	*Novilunium* the New Moon.
⚺	Semisextile.	1	00	
⚹	Sextile.	2	00	*Cornicolata* the horned Moon.
⚻	Quintile.	2	12	
□	Quadrile.	3	00	*Semiplena* Moon half full of light.
Td	Tredecile.	3	18	
△	Trine.	4	00	*Gibbosa* Moon three parts light.
Bq	Biquintil.	4	24	
☍	Opposition.	5	00	*Plenilunium* the full Moon.

Astrological Judgments For the Year, 1669.

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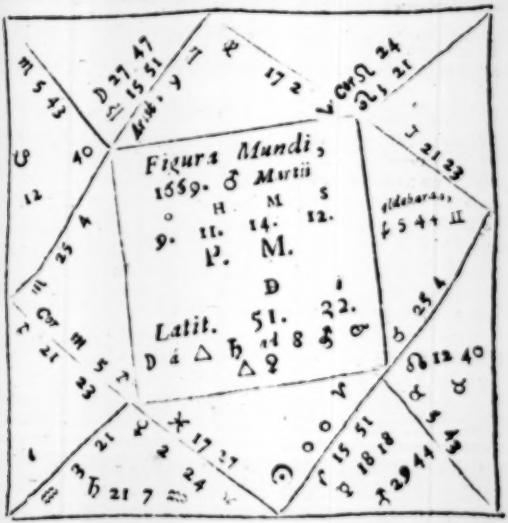
Sapiens Dominabitur Astris.



THere being no visible Eclipse, either of the *Sun*, or *Moon*, in this our *Hemisphere*, in this Year, 1669 (That is, as unto these *European* Countries) nor any eminent or weighty Conjunction of any of the Superiour Planets. I intend at this time, therefore (God assisting) to deduce, this my present

Astrological discourse, of this year, from the Position of Heaven, at the ingress of *Sol*, into the Cardinal Sign *Aries*: Consideration being had, unto the late eminent Eclipse, of the *Sun* in *October*, And that remarkable Conjunction of *Saturn*, and *Mars*, in *November*, in 1668 last past: together with the other Positions of the Heavens, at the ingress of the *Sun* into the other Three Cardinal points this year, 1669; and some other Configurations, of the Coelestial Bodies now in force, whose Effects, and Influences, are now at this time, manifestly designed, to operate and appear in the World.

The truth is, I am now Writing in a Peacable time, and in such a time, as a General Peace possesseth all *Christendom*: all the Christian Kings, Princes, and States, being in a quiet Temper as in relation unto one another: And by the Blessing of God, a happy Union appears at this time (*viz.* in this very Month of *September*, 1668 being the very time of the Writing hereof) betwixt the Christian Kingdoms, and Countries, which we beseech *Almighty God* still to continue—— So that now my Prediction publiquely delivered not long since concerning the same, *viz.* in my Almanack for the year, 1666 is now fulfilled: And the truth thereof, in 1668 was throughly verified; for then, *viz.* in 1666, speaking of the Comets of 1664, and 1665; in the 13 Page of the last Sheet of my aforesaid Almanack, for that year, you shall there have these very words, *viz.*—— Now forasmuch as the colour, and complexion of the first Comet, which appeared in *November*, &c. as aforesaid 1664, was of a Martial Hew; therefore Martial or Warlike actions, seem from thence even first of all to take place, and that there will be great Wars, and notable Controversies, and disturbances in many Kingdoms, and Regions of the World, and that there will be many eminent Stratagems, and subtill designs carried on, for some succeeding years, after the appearance of that Comet, and during its effects: But quickly after, or in a very short time, yea in very few years after these Controversies, and turbulent actions, there will assuredly appear great tranquility, and a general, or universal Peace, may be expected, almost all over the whole World, which was signified by the colour, and complexion of the Comet, in *March* and *April* last, 1665. and that a serene

rene and glorious time will undoubtedly succeed those few years of trouble, signified by the first Comet———

For the verification thereof, we say, that it cannot but be notoriously known, what great disorders, and disturbances, did appear in *Europe*, presently after the apparition of the said Comets; As a furious War, and sad Sea quarrel, betwixt his Majesty of Great *Britain*, and the States of *Holland*, wherein also his most *Christian* Majesty, and King of *Denmark*, and their People, were likewise deeply concerned: Which said War, was attended with the sad destruction of Ships and men and many troubles and disturbances, were occasioned thereby: Besides, a very great dispute also arose betwixt *France* and *Spain*, touching the business of *Flanders*, and the *Spanish Netherlands*, which was very hotly, for some time managed, and carried on, even to the very startling, and allarming all *Christendom*. But behold in 1667, and in 1668, the latter part of the aforesaid prediction took place, and the face of things were generally changed; a blessed and glorious peace on a sudden attending, all those Kingdoms and Countreys, formerly engaged in Controversies and Wars, yea even as much as *Portugal* also it self, (which for several years last past, laboured in a War with *Spain*:) and now at this time; that is at the Writing hereof, all is quiet, and even no other War at present appears, than only that which is upheld and maintained, by way of defence, by the *Venetians* against the common Enemy of *Christendom*. *Magna res discordiâ pereunt, concordiâ valent.*

As unto the duration and continuance of this peace, we leave for time to determine; *Tempus omnia revelat*—— And now, I shall apply my self unto the present business in hand. The Ascendant at this Revolution being *Scorpio*, gives us a very full intimation, that the Effects of the before mentioned Solar Eclipse, in *October* last, will assuredly break forth, in this Vernal quarter: The Ascending sign, being the same in which the said Eclipse happened. The effects and portents of that very Eclipse, seem to be of a pernicious and destructive nature unto Mankind, even in many respects (as I told you last year when I treated thereof) and sith that Divine Providence hath now at this very time, designed them to operate, in this

year 1660 we may therefore very justly fear, that some untoward actions and things of bad consequence, will shew forth themselves, in many of those Regions, and places, subject unto that very before named Constellation, of Heaven, *viz.* Scorpio, wherein the aforesaid Solar defect happened: For assured, *Saturn* and *Mars*, were the sole Lords the eof; and by their position, and place in the Heavens, at the middle time of the *Suns* aforesaid Obscuration, we did observe, that they do then portend many mischiefs, and some crosse and turbulent matters to ensue; or that War, Pestilence, Plague, Famine, or some Earthquake, or other publick calamity, would attend those Countries & Cities, concerned by the said *Solar* defect, which may in some measure be dreaded, to happen in this very year, in some Northern parts of the World: unless the benevolent influences of Heaven, at this time, mitigate, and contradict, the evill signified thereby; which God in mercy grant.

True it is, there has been some dispute, and controversie, by some Learned, and Great Astrologians, in former times, touching the very time, in which the effects of an Eclipse, should begin to operate: And a certain Rule is delivered unto us, by the Ancients, for the finding of the same; for it is generally held, That Eclipses effects, do not usually break forth immediately, as soon as an Eclipse is over: But they have a certain space of time, most commonly allowed them, for their beginning, which is to be found out by Art, and those Precepts, delivered unto us by the Learned, in former Ages. Although *Origanus Part* 3 *De effectibus Cap.* 2 seems to scruple it in these words, *Verum cum quæri possit, ubi effectus Eclipsis tam diu lateat, ut post tantum tempus demum se exerat, non immeritò hæc Ptolomæica doctrina in dubium trahitur. Constat enim nanque est Eclipses suum operari, & effectus suos aliquos; exinde* &c. That is he seems here to question, and in some sort to reject the Ancient *Ptolomaick* Doctrine, touching the very *punctum* of time when the effects of Eclipses, should begin to operate; and he thinks it should be more agreeable to reason that they should forthwith operate and shew forth themselves, presently after the appearance of an Eclipse, or immediately after; or as soon, as the Eclipse it self, is past and over

over — Notwithstanding, which way soever, we do account the effects of Eclipses, to begin to operate, *viz.* either according unto *Ptolomy*, and the Ancients; or according to the aforesaid *Origanus*, if this following Rule be true, as assuredly it is, *viz. Quam horas durat Eclipsis Solaris, tot annorum durationes effectus præanuntiat.* How many hours the Sun shall be Eclipsed so many years will the effects thereof continue. Then assuredly seeing that the total duration, of the before mentioned Solar Eclipse, was 2 hours, and 26 minutes, we may very safely conclude, That its effects will be in force, near 2 years and a half, from the time of their first beginning to appear: So that from hence, we may undoubtedly expect, that the Malevolent Portents of this before named Solar Eclipse, will be very much manifested, in this year; whose direful influence seem much to be augmented, by that notable Conjunction of *Saturn* and *Mars*, beforementioned, in *November* last, even in one of the Signs Ascending, at the middle time of the said defect.

As unto those very parts of the World, which will be most of all concerned by this before named Solar Eclipse, and by the aforesaid Conjunction of *Saturn* and *Mars*, we did mention somewhat concerning the same last year, when we treated of the effects, of the aforesaid Eclipse: Notwithstanding we do here affirm and say, That those Countries, Cities, and places under the Signs *Scorpio*, and *Aquarius*, seem most of all hinted at, and they are such as are remote: Much of the effects, of the aforesaid Eclipse will appear, about *Algiers*, *Tunis*, *Tripoli*, &c. and of the before mentioned Conjunction, about *Tartaria*, *Muscovia*, *Walachia*, &c. in all, or most of which places, and Countreys, some unruly and sturdy actions may be expected to happen; for it may be feared, that War, or trouble, or disturbances, seem signified to be on foot, in sundry of those places, under the before recited Constellations of Heaven, (as we told you in some measure last year) and in regard, wherein the said Eclipse happened, is a watry Sign, and under the watry *Trigon*, its effects, and Portents, will (its very probable) be of great importance, unto such whose imployment, and business lies much upon the Seas, and Waters; whether Merchants, Sea-men, or Fisher-men:

and will have much relation, unto the Naval Affairs of some Countries; from whence some disastrous actions, may appear at Sea, during the effects of the said Solar defect. The Eclipse it self, seeming to declare, somewhat of eminent importance to be near manifestation, (also) in or towards *Norway*, *Denmark*, &c. or about the *Sound* or *Baltique* Seas, some thing very considerable may break out, or some dispute may arise in those places, before herein mentioned, concerning Sea Negotiations: Loss and trouble will assuredly attend the people of *Tunis*, and *Algier*, in their publique Transactions, and some sudden change, they may expect to be sensible of. Besides, it doth appear further unto us, That also some other Forraign places, besides those before mentioned, will be also in some respect or other, sensible in this very year, of some of the Portents, of the aforesaid Solar defect; for if we adhere unto the Doctrine of *Ptolomy*, and the Ancients, we must then bring in, even all those places also (into our present Astrological discourse, and judgment upon the aforesaid Eclipse,) which are reputed, to be subject unto the whole watry *Trigon*, As *Holland Zealand* and the *Low Countries*, the Cities of *Amsterdam*, *Constantinople*, *Venice*, *Hamburgh*, &c. also some part or portion of the *Duke* of *Savoys* Countries, and Territories, about *Piedmont*, &c. All which said places, and Countries being according to the ancient Astrologers, under the before-mentioned *Trigon*, it's somewhat probable from hence, that some thing of remark, will happen unto them touching their Commerce, and Navigation, e're the effects of the said Eclipse be quite passed over And it may be Conjectured, that some sudden, or violent irruption, or overflowing of the Sea, in some places, seem signified towards the North, to the prejudice of some people; and that boisterous weather at Sea, will now and then, perhaps, a little discourage the industrious Sea-man, in his Voyages Northward &c. These are our probable Conjectures at this time, touching the Natural signification of the before specified Solar Eclipse; notwithstanding which, in all submission we say,

A DEO pendent omnia.

I do proceed now, upon the Vernal position of Heaven, this year, wherein, I observe, That all the Planets, except *Jupiter*

pitter, and the *Moon*, are *Subterraneam*, and under the Earth: *Jupiter* being in the West Angle, even just setting, and the *Moon* in the 11th. house. We have three Planets in *Aries*, viz. *Mars*, *Sol*, and *Mercury*, one in *Pisces*, viz. *Venus*; and *Saturn* abideth still in *Aquarius*, *Jupiter* being in *Gemini*, and the *Moon* in *Libra*, hasting to the opposition of *Mars*. The Configurations, at this present, attending this said Vernal ingress, seem to be of an indifferent propitious nature, unto Mankind, and do seem to import much severity, as in relation unto the general Affairs of some Countries; for there doth not at this Solar Revolution appear, many violent, or turbulent Aspects, of the Stars (unless the before named, opposition of *Mars*, and the *Moon*, and a Quartile of *Jupiter*, and *Venus*) which might, in any great measure, denote much trouble, or disasters, to happen in the World, during the effects of this Revolution, but rather here seems good cause to judge, and great reason there is to predict, that much of this Spring-quarter, of 1669. will pass away calmly: we mean as unto the present state and condition of the Transactions, and publick Negotiations, of divers Countries, at this time, and as unto the General Affairs of *Europe*. So that also from hence, it may be hoped, that the actions of this very year, 1669. will not appear altogether so violent (notwithstanding, the effects of the aforesaid Eclipse, and Conjunction, now operating) as at sometimes might be feared —— We do observe, that *Saturn* and *Mars*, are the strongest Planets in the Heavens, at the aforesaid time of the Suns ingress into *Aries*, that is, as unto Essential dignities; The one, *viz. Saturn* being in *Aquarius*; The other, *viz. Mars* in *Aries*, being both in such signs, as are commonly termed their houses, all the other Planets being but meanly fortified (except only *Venus*, who is in *Pisces*, her exaltation) and none of them, are in any Angle, but *Jupiter* before mentioned, and he is in his detriment, as being in a Constellation of Heaven, wherein he hath no delight. Now as the Cælestial bodies, are at this present Revolution, but meanly fortified, so there seems hereby, by them portended, That the grand businesses, and matters of Publique and weighty concernment of these times, will not appear very lofty, & glorious, or be managed in any splendid manner openly, but be

father, in some manner carryed on, occultly, privately, and in some slow, and obscure way, in divers parts of the World

What is most observable, in the Vernal figure of this year is, the before named opposition of *Mars*, and the *Moon* out of *Libra*, and *Aries*, two Cardinal Signs, The one being of the Aiery, the other of the fiery Triplicity, which seems to have some eminent signification, as unto the actions and designs, of those Countries, and Kingdoms, under those two Constellations o Heaven: And as the Aspect it self, is an Aspect of perfect hatred, even by the opinion of all Astrologers, so it doth seem to declare, some Controversies, debates, or some fierce disputes, to arise in those parts of the World, subject to the aforesaid Signs, or that some disasterous actions, may break forth, as being managed by some unruly people. The truth is, the *Moon* is weak, and out of her Essential dignities, and applyes unto an infortune, which puts me in mind of that Aphorisme of *Haly*, in his Book, *De Judiciis Astrorum. Part* 8. Cap. 6. touching her signification unto people, when thus posited delivered unto us even in these very words following— *Quando Luna fuerit debilis, & peregrina, & applicuerit infortuniis, & illa fortunia sint firma, significat malum statum & casum, depressionem & debilitatum in suis negotiis, defectum sui victus & Lucri, multas infirmitates in corporibus, & occasiones quæ occident eis* (i.e.) If the *Moon* shall be peregrine and weak, and apply to an infortune (as now she doth) and the same infortune shall be firm and strong, it signifieth the evill State of the people, depression, and debilities in their business, and many infirmities in their Bodies.

The truth is, This present opposition of *Mars*, and the *Moon*, seems much to be disliked, as importing some tumultuous actions, or some unquietness, to happen this very year, in those Countries, and places under *Libra*, and *Aries*: for *Mars* is in a very hot and cholerick Sign, and he governs the irascible part of Man; and as the Moon also is reputed, to be the General significatrix of the common people, so it may be from hence predicted, That the Commonalty in some *European* Kingdoms, and Countries, will be now and then in this year, subject unto some Mutinous, or unruly carriage. *Libra* the Constellation, wherein the Moon at present is, has relation unto

unto *Austria*, *Livonia*, *Alsatia* &c. and much of the Emperours Countries, and Dominions: so that from hence, here seems denoted, some disturbances, or some very material actions, and designs, to be manifested and carryed on, in those parts of the World: Or that those Countries, under *Libra* and *Aries*, — will be a little allarmed, and be somewhat disturbed, in their publique Negotiations, by the fury or fear of War, and its attendants; as being often subject to many rumours and many times startled, with sundry and various reports Besides, this aforesaid oppositition, of *Mars* and the *Moon*, falls to be in the eleventh, and fifth houses of Heaven, as if some Nations would be somewhat apt to break their League of friendship, and amity one with another; or now and then also in this very year, even upon some slight occasions, be almost in a quarrelling condition, one being jealous of the others intentions: And that the imployments of some Agents, Ambassadours, and Envoyes, would find some interruption; or that they even themselves, would manage their matters but dully. Moreover, *Mars* in the 5th house, informs us of Abortion, or hard labour unto many Women with Child, or the death of many young Children, by the Measels, small pox, violent Fevers, or some new and unusual diseases, afflicting the head, and violently distempering that noble Member, even in very many young People, unto madness it self. And seeing the *Moon* is in the 11th. house, she imports, that the hopes and great expectations of some people, will be frustrated and come to nothing, — Indeed the *Moon* her self though she is alway swifter in motion, than any of the other Planets by far; yet she is the lowest of all, and her signification, most commonly, is but of a dull and drowsie nature, as being of a cold and moist temper. But *Mars* the Planet, with whom she is now in opposition, is of a hasty disposition, as being hot & dry, & being at this very time, posited also in a hot & cholerick Sign, viz. *Aries*. his present signification, is unto the Grand Affairs of some Countries seems very considerable —

And indeed this very position of *Mars* and his potency, in the Vernal Scheam of Heaven, for this year, may in some respect foreshew that those Countries and places subject unto the before specified Constellation of Heaven, wherein he

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it now placed, *viz.* *Aries*, will even in this very year, 1669. be sometime ready to raise Arms, and Souldiers, and be somewhat inclined unto War: And that the Martial man will find employment in some of the *Oriental* parts of the World. For although, *Saturn* is even in a manner, as strong and powerful as *Mars* in the Heavens, at this very time; yet in regard he is not in Aspect with any of the Planets, but remains quiet by himself, in a Cadent house, *viz* the 3d. little can be expected from him, as unto this present Signification, as unto humane Affairs; we mean in this Vernal quarter. *Mars* therefore, gives us the most notice of the most remarkable actions of this year, as being in Configuration with the *Moon*, who hath very great influence upon things here below: ———

Here is *Jupiter* in the 7th. house; however, at this revolution as if some wholsom Laws and Constitutions, would be established, even in this very year, to the great satisfaction of many sober and ingenious persons: and as if People would naturally themselves, in some measure desire to be quiet, and also will not in the general, be much disposed unto Controversies, War, Law-suits, quarrels, and contention; but rather endeavour to live peacably: And as he, *viz.* *Jupiter*, is now posited in *Gemini*, the ascendant of the City of *London*, we do conjecture, that much good seems promised hereby, unto that City (though we confess *Jupiter* hath few or no dignities, in that Cœlestial Constellation, but is in his detriment, as I said before) yet seeing, notwithstanding he is reputed, The most fortunate, and benevolent Planet in the whole Heavens; his present position in that sign, may very well import, an indifferent fortunate time, unto those places under *Gemini*: And those people, inhabiting those very Cities, and Countries, under that Cœlestial Asterism, will be (its very probable) in a pretty serene and calm posture, and will according to their sundry capacities, enjoy a handsome benefit, and profit in their Trading, and be even in a manner wholly, and quite freed from the many fears, and jealousies formerly attending them, ———

The truth is, if we further consult the Stars, and diligently observe the passage, and course of the Cœlestial bodies, in the Heavens this year, especially in the month of *May*, and at the beginning

beginning of *June*, we ſhall find that the aforeſaid ſign *Gemini*, is a ſign very much concerned at thoſe times, as being a Conſtellation, wherein no leſs than 5 of the Planets, are for ſome time together, reſiding therein (as I told you in my Monthly Obſervations this year,) which ſeems to be very remarkable, and worthy of all ſerious conſideration: for we obſerve, That the *Sun* about the 10th of *May*, comes into that Sign; *Jupiter* and *Mars* being then alſo therein: And upon the 20. and 21 of the ſame Month *Venus* and *Mercury*, enters the ſame: Theſe Planets during their continuance, in the aforeſaid Conſtellation, making many Conjunctions, of good importance, one with another, the one being then at that very time, *viz.* from *Holy Thurſday*, being the 20 of *May*, unto the *Friday* before *Trinity*, no leſs than ſix Conjunctions of the wandring Planets, even in that very Conſtellation, being all within the ſpace of a Fortnight, or not ſo much: Whereof Two, are ſomewhat eminent, *viz.* one of *Jupiter* and *Mars*, and the other of *Jupiter* and the *Sun*. And beſides theſe ſix Conjunctions, and Congreſſes of the Planets before mentioned; There is alſo, a little before the ingreſs of *Sol* into *Cancer*, a ſerene Conjunction of *Jupiter* and *Venus*, in the ſaid Sign, and not long after theſe aforeſaid Configurations, in *Gemini*, *Mars*, *Mercury*, *Sol*, and *Venus*, make their entrance into *Cancer*, being the Summer *Solſtice*, wherein (alſo) ſome notable Configurations happens, about *Midſummer* Week, The *Suns* ingreſs it ſelf, of the 11. of *June*, at 2 of the Clock in the morning, into *Cancer* this year, being attended with a Trine of the Two ſuperiour Planets *Saturn* and *Jupiter*, out of *Gemini* and *Aquarius*, being a calm and propitious Aſpect ——

From hence then may be collected from the Configurations, and diſpoſition of the Heavenly bodies, at thoſe very times before mentioned, *viz.* in *May* and *June* this year, as aforeſaid, That many deep and eminent Conſultations will be on foot in ſome Cities, and places of the World under *Gemini*; yea ſuch as ſeem to be of Superlative conſequence. But whether thoſe matters then in agitation we mean in the *Summer* Quarter of this year, 1669. will be tending unto Peace, or War, we do not preſently diſcover; however divers things of great weight ſeems then likely, to be undertaken, conſideration,

on, which we hope will be all tending unto peace and tranquility: Notwithstanding some material change or alteration of some ancient Laws, customs, and National Constitutions seems signified to happen in this year, in regard of the many Configurations, as aforesaid in *Gemini*, being a sign possessing the 7th. house, at the ingress of the *Sun* into *Aries* — Here also seems further portended, the Convention, or assembling of many serious, wise, and Grave persons, about the aforesaid before mentioned times, for the setling, and establishing, and likewise composing, of sundry things of great importance, then under mature deliberation —— And if we may lawfully proceed, without offence, to inform you what Countries, Cities, and places in the World, seem most concerned at those very times, by the aforesaid Configurations, and position of the STARS in *Gemini*, we then say, That according to *Ptolomy*, *Origanus*, and all the Ancient, and Modern Astrologers, That part of *Lombardy*, *Flanders*, *Brabant* &c — of Cities and Towns, *Bruges* in *Flanders*, *Norimberg*, *Lovain*, &c. and sundry other places, assigned by Astrologers to be under the aforesaid Sign, seem much hinted at hereby: All, or most of which Countries, Cities, and places, will be (in all likelihood) in one kind or other, sensible of the influences of the Stars, at those times before specified: But sith the Configurations themselves, are partly of an amicable disposition, and calm temper; we may probably conjecture, and however hope, that their Portents may (as I said before) be in some sort, tending rather unto good, than evill, — However forasmuch as these aforesaid Conjunctions, do happen in an Aiery Constellation, they do therefore seem to declare alteration, and change, in the Natural temper, and constitution of the Air this year, in the *Summer* Quarter thereof: and do seem to presage much Thunder and Lightning, with fiery Coruscations very often to happen, about the Months of *June* and *July* if not the appearance of some *Comet*, or some unusual Apparitions in the Air, in some parts of the World: also much corrupt and unhealthful Air, in many places concerned hereby, much detrimental to the bodies of divers people. Besides *Gemini*, hath great relation unto the bloud and Sanguine part in mans body, so that in some Countries it may be feared, that the

the Plague, or ſome ſad Peſtilential diſeaſe may break forth, to the great affliction of many people: A ſad Judgment it is, where ever it falls, as we in *England* felt in the year 1665 It is at the time of the Writing hereof, ſcattered very much in *Flanders*, and in ſome parts of the late Conqueſts of his moſt *Chriſtian Majeſty*: We beſeech God it may proceed no further. Indeed, ſuch Configurations as theſe, even juſt now before mentioned, in an Aiery ſign, do uſually foreſhew the Plague, or ſome ſuch ſad contagious diſtemper to enſue, in thoſe places, under the Conſtellation of Heaven, wherein they happen —— This preſent before mentioned poſition, and many Conjunctions of the Planets, as aforeſaid in *Gemini*, will (alſo) aſſuredly be of conſequence, unto thoſe Children that ſhall be born then at ſuch time, as the Aſcendant, *Medium Cœli Sol Luna*, or *Pars fortunæ* ſhall happen to be in *Gemini*: for ſuch in the courſe of their lives, will be made very much ſenſible, of this remarkable diſpoſition of the Heavenly bodies: and alſo ſuch as are now living, who had the Aſcendant, *Medium Cœli Sol, Luna*, or *Pars fortunæ* in the aforeſaid Sign, at their Birth ——

But I return unto the Vernal Ingreſs, wherein I further obſerve, That *Saturn* abides ſtill in *Aquarius*, and alſo continueth in the ſame even all this very year: as if the Spring-Quarter of this year, 1669 would be pretty cool, for *Saturn* is *Superiorum altiſſimus*, or the higheſt of the Planets, and being in a fixed Sign, and of his own Nature ponderous, and ſlow, doth foreſhew, That thoſe things whatſoever they be, by him ſignified, whether to happen in the common, and ordinary conſtitution, and temperament of the Air; or otherwiſe, in relation unto the ſtate and condition of things here on Earth, will be in a durable, and firm temper for ſome time. And as often as he, *viz.* *Saturn*, comes to be in Configuration, with any of the other Planets this year, he will intermix his influence ſo amongſt them, that he will now and then, in his motion, Obſtruct the effects of the other Stars: And becauſe *Aquarius* is alſo of the Aiery *Trigon*, the influence of *Saturn* will operate much in the Air, and he doth foreſhew, That now and then, in the Spring time this year, ſome cold blaſts, and cool mornings may be expected, eſpecially towards the beginning thereof: —— I do alſo further proceed and ſay, That

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here appears some reason in Astrology to judge, that those Countries under *Taurus* may be in an indifferent serene condition this year, or that those places will be in a quiet posture. The Kingdom of *Poland*, amongst divers other places, is under this Constellation, and at the time of my present Writing hereof, that King seems much inclined to resign up his Kingly power, and Authority, and hath signified unto the World in plain terms his full resolution concerning the same: and its generally thought he is in good earnest. Some bustling thereupon, there is in this present *September*, 1668. about the choice of a fit person to succeed him in his Throne, which doth at this very time, viz. whilst I am writing this, give some occasion, for divers sober, and discreet persons in *Europe*, to fear that some stir may arise in that Kingdom upon this very Revolution and change, like to happen there. However, the Heavenly bodies, seem in some measure this year 1669 to favour the affairs of that Kingdom, notwithstanding the many fears and doubts, which may in some probability appear to the contrary, ——

And whilst I am thus meditating of the effects of the Stars this very year upon Forraign Countries, methinks the Configurations of Heaven, in the *Solstitial* quarter thereof, and the position of the *Sun* into *Cancer*; that is (we mean of the Celestial bodies at that time) seems to be of importance unto the affairs and publique designs of the Grand *Seignior*, and the *Venetians*; and much action may happen betwixt them. True it is, the *Turk* has laboured much for the reducing of *Candia*, even in this year 1668, but as yet, viz. unto the time of the Writing hereof his Martial endeavours, and Warlike Enterprizes, in order to the gaining of that place, has proved uneffectual. Could *Christians* unite themselves, cordially in opposition to this Grand enemy of *Christendom*, viz. The *Turk*; such a fatal blow, and final *Catastrophe* might in short time happen unto him, as might shake, if not quite extirpate his power and Dominion. It is thought, and that not without just cause, that even his very Empire it self is not very long lasting, but is drawing near unto a period: Some strange alteration, being in all probability, designed to happen amongst the *Turks*, ere a few years determine. Nor may they expect

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any good success in this year, in their publique Transactions, and Martial undertakings; But will find many enemies. They will also in some succeeding years, be subject unto the effects of the late Comets of, 1664. and 1665. as well as any of the *European* People have been: For its observable that those very Comets were seen, in all, or most of the habitable parts of the World and had their course through very many Signs of the Zodiack; intimating thereby, That not only *Europe*, but also *Asia*, *Africa*, and also some parts of *America*, will in their appointed times, be made acquainted with their effects; and that also those Countries and places even in those Three remote parts of the World before mentioned, will be liable to some very material changes, alterations, and troubles, before the effects, & Portents of the said Comets be quite run out——

The time seems also drawing near, wherein some of the effects of that famous New Star, in *Cassiopeia* (*anno*, 1572. observed by the Learned *Tycho Brahe*) still remaining to operate, will assuredly appear and be manifested in the World. For although, its near 100 years ago, since the appearance of that Star, and much of the matter signified thereby, without doubt hath already long ago been accomplished: yet notwithstanding, we may justly conjecture, according to the Rules of Art, that some part of its Portents, lyes yet undiscovered, and will about 3 or 4 years hence break forth in the *Northern* parts—— This very Star, was at the time of its appearance, viz. in 1572. the admiration, or Wonder of the World; as in truth it might very well be; for there was never any such Star before, that I ever read of; except that in the time of *Hipparchus*, who lived some two Generations, before the comming of our blessed Saviour into the World; which Star, though it was not vertical to the Northern People, as this of 1572 was: And in regard of the long continuance, and fixedness of this very Star, of 1572. The effects thereof were assuredly to continue for a very long time after, yea even for very many years. For *Tycho Brahe* (that Learned and rare Mathematician) in his Treatise of this New Star, tells us, it appeared one whole year, from the 11 of *November*, 1572. and few what more, until the very beginning of the Spring, 1574. when in the month of *March*, it began to disappear: so that according to his account

count from first to last it appeared visible, well nigh 16 Months, it was not seated in the Elementary Region, or had its course in the Air, but was placed in the highest *Heavens*, continuing fixed and immovable in the 6th degree of the Sign *Taurus*; or Constellation, of *Asterism* of *Cassiopea*? So that undoubtedly this very Star, was the *praecurser* of many famous and Superlative matters, and things to happen in the World, for many years after its appearance.

Were not the Ascendant, at the ingress of the *Sun* into *Aries* the year 1669, a fixed Sign: I should have here given you the Scheame of Heaven, also at the ingress of *Sol* into *Cancer*, *Libra*, and *Capricorn*, but I do at this time forbear: following wholly the Rules of *Haly*, *Guido Bonatus*, and other Learned Astrologians, in inserting only one Scheame for this year. The Ascendant it self being *Scorpio*, a fixed Sign, at the Vernal ingress. However having fully examined the disposition, and temper of the Celestial bodies, in this very year; we may from thence modestly conclude, that the Actions of the World will be various and unconstant, in general; and that now and then, some slight Commotions and tumults, may startle some Countries. It may also be feared, that it may prove a sickly year, unto some Forraign places; and in good earnest, the Plague or Pestilence it self, seems portended to afflict some parts of *France*, and *Germany*, which God in mercy divert. Several strange rumours and reports, will also fly abroad in this year. And in those Countries, and places under *Aries*, its probable, many Thieves and Highway men will shew themselves active, to the great prejudice of some Countrey people: for *Mars* and *Mercury* are both in that Sign. Besides, the publick affairs and undertakings of the Countries, under that very last before enamed *Asterism*, *viz. Aries* will be often in this very year, subject to change and alteration, and the People of those Regions, will at sometime perhaps be alarmed with War, or with many warm reports, and rumours spread abroad to that purpose. The most material actions, being principally designed, to happen in those Countries, under that Constellation in this very year, as I have before herein mentioned. And also towards the North somewhat very considerable may appear, being intimated by the many eminent Configurations in the Summer Quarter. And from the effects of the before mentioned Solar Eclipse in *October* last, now operating as aforesaid, it may be feared, that some vexation, trouble, detriment, or disturbance, may happen unto some Great Man, or Men; or that the death of some Great Man or Men in *Europe* draws nigh. But my task is finished for the present. Heavens protect his *Majestie* and all the Royal Family.

Radwinter near *Saffron Walden* in *Essex*, September 11. 1668.

William Andrews

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